## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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August 24, 2006

Mr. Aaron W. Miller The Doe Run Company 881 Main Street Herculaneum, MO 63048

Dear Mr. Miller:

We have received your letter dated August 11, 2006, in which you explained that Mr. Richard Bowen has agreed to accept the offer from the Doe Run Company to purchase his current residence at 947 Main Street. The Doe Run Company will purchase Mr. Bowen's house at 947 Main Street and allow him to move into a house owned by the Doe Run Company, which is outside Doe Run's proposed buffer zone. Mr. Bowen has selected a house located at 729 Circle Street as the house he would like to move into.

Before the Doe Run Company purchased the house at 729 Circle Street, the yard was sampled with quad 1 and quad 2 showing lead contamination at 624 parts per million and 869 parts per million respectively. The department would like for the Doe Run Company to expedite the soil removal at the residence as well as the interior house cleaning very quickly as Mr. Bowen will have visitors, which could include children.

After consulting with the Department of Health and Senior Services, the Department of Natural Resources approves of the alternate offer made by the Doe Run Company to Mr. Bowen. The department understands that the interior of the home at 729 Circle Street will be cleaned prior to Mr. Bowen's occupation, and the yard cleanup will be done very soon.

Sincerely,

Dennis Stinson, Chief

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Ms. Gina Vinyard, Mayor, city of Herculaneum

Mr. Bill Whitmer, City Administrator, city of Herculaneum

Ms. Cherri Baysinger, Department of Health and Senior Services

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